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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
YUKI KATAYAMA, ET AL.) : Examiner: Lisa Joe Hobbs
Application No.: 10/531,315) : Group Art Unit: 1657
Filed: April 13, 2005) : Confirmation No. 6439
For: METHOD FOR :
QUANTITATIVELY)
DETERMINING CHOLESTEROL :
IN HIGH DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN)
AND REAGENTS THEREFOR) : December 18, 2009

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 24, 2009 to December 24, 2009. A depository account payment of \$1110.00 for payment of the extension fee has been paid concurrently herewith. Please charge any additional fee required and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.